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PROCEEDINGS OF ACADEMY MEETINGS

DECEMBER

STATED MEETINGS

Thursday Evening, December 7

ORDER

I. EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 8:30 o'clock

- a. Reading of the Minutes
- b. Election of Academy Officers
- c. Election of Fellows and Members

II. THE ANNIVERSARY DISCOURSE AT 8:45 o'clock

"Medicine and modern sociological trends," Hon. Joseph V. McKee.

Thursday Evening, December 14, at 8:30 o'clock

The Third Harvey Lecture, "Heteroplastic Grafting in Embryology,"
Professor Ross G. Harrison, Sterling Professor Biology, Yale University.

This lecture takes the place of the second Stated Meeting of the Academy
for December.

SECTION MEETINGS

JOINT MEETING

SECTION OF SURGERY AND THE SECTION OF MEDICINE

Friday Evening, December 1, at 8:30 o'clock

I. READING OF THE MINUTES

- II. PRESENTATION OF CASES
 - a. Thyrocardiac disturbances—2 cases, Arthur S. McQuillan
 - b. Thyrocardiac disturbances—2 cases, Emil Goetsch
- III. PAPERS OF THE EVENING
 - a. The medical treatment of the thyrocardiac, Cary Eggleston
 - b. The operative treatment of the thyrocardiac, William Barclay Parsons
- IV. GENERAL DISCUSSION

Malcolm Goodridge, Stuart Hart, Richard Lewisohn, Morris K. Smith

SECTION OF DERMATOLOGY AND SYPHILOLOGY
 Tuesday Evening, December 5, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

- I. PRESENTATION OF CASES FROM NEW YORK UNIVERSITY AND BELLEVUE HOSPITAL MEDICAL COLLEGE
- II. PRESENTATION OF MISCELLANEOUS CASES
- III. DISCUSSION OF SELECTED CASES

SECTION OF NEUROLOGY AND PSYCHIATRY
 Tuesday Evening, December 12, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

- I. READING OF THE MINUTES
- II. PAPERS OF THE EVENING
 - a. Delinquency problems in a children's court, Helen Montague (by invitation)
 - b. Evaluation of classification in prisons, J. L. McCartney, Elmira (by invitation)
 - c. Modern treatment of crime, V. C. Branham, Albany
- III. DISCUSSION

Bernard Sachs, Judge Jonah B. Goldstein (by invitation), Menas S. Gregory, Henrietta Additon, Deputy Commissioner (by invitation), Bernard Glueck (by invitation)
- IV. EXECUTIVE SESSION

SECTION OF PEDIATRICS
 Thursday Evening, December 14, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

- I. PAPERS OF THE EVENING
 - a. Serum phosphatase as a criterion of the severity and of the rate of healing of rickets, Aaron Bodansky (by invitation), Henry L. Jaffe (Hospital for Joint Diseases)

- b. Serum protein deficiency without reversal of the albumin: globulin ratio, A. A. Weech (by invitation) (Babies' Hospital)
- c. Studies in measles prophylaxis, Bela Schick, Samuel Karelitz (Mount Sinai Hospital)
- d. Variations in serum bases of infants and children in disease, Aubrey B. MacLean, Ruth C. Sullivan (by invitation) (St. Vincent's Hospital)
- e. Studies in amyloidosis, Harold G. Grayzel (by invitation), Mendel Jacobi, Hyman Warshall (by invitation), Maxwell Bogin (by invitation), Herman Bolker (by invitation), Benjamin Kramer (The Jewish Hospital of Brooklyn)

SECTION OF ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY

Friday Evening, December 15, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

- I. READING OF THE MINUTES
- II. PRESENTATION OF CASES
 - a. Correction of equinus deformity of os calcis in congenital club foot, Leo Mayer
 - b. Demonstration of Schultze osteoclast for correction of congenital club foot, Nicholas Ransohoff
 - c. Cases showing early and complete correction of equinus in congenital club foot, John C. McCauley, Jr. (by invitation)
- III. PAPER OF THE EVENING
Treatment of congenital club foot, J. H. Kite, Decatur, Georgia (by invitation)
- IV. DISCUSSION
Percy W. Roberts, John J. Nutt, Isadore Zadek, Arthur Krida

JOINT MEETING

SECTION OF MEDICINE AND THE SECTION OF OPHTHALMOLOGY

Tuesday Evening, December 19, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

- I. READING OF THE MINUTES
- II. PAPERS OF THE EVENING
 - a. The ocular complications found in the study of 2000 diabetic patients (Dr. Joslin's patients), J. Herbert Waite, Boston (by invitation)
 - b. The ocular complications of diabetes, Russell M. Wilder, Mayo Clinic (by invitation)

III. GENERAL DISCUSSION

Elliott P. Joslin, Boston (by invitation), John Wheeler, Arthur J. Bedell, Albany, Bernard Samuels

SPECIAL NOTICE

SECTION OF OPHTHALMOLOGY

Monday Evening, December 18, at 7 o'clock

INSTRUCTION HOUR was carried on as usual: External Diseases—Symptomology, Pathology and Treatment, Dr. Algernon B. Reese

SECTION OF OBSTETRICS AND GYNECOLOGY

Program arranged by the Obstetrical Staff of the Knickerbocker Hospital
Tuesday Evening, December 19, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

I. READING OF THE MINUTES

II. PRESENTATION OF CASES

- a. Puerperal Parotitis—2 cases, Mortimer W. Rodgers
- b. Siamese Twins—caesarian section—hysterectomy, George G. Bemis (by invitation)
Discussion—Leon T. LeWald, George L. Brodhead, Arthur Stein
- c. Placenta Acreta, Edwin G. Langrock
Discussion—Locke L. Mackenzie, Meyer R. Robinson
- d. Spontaneous rupture at the cervico-vaginal junction during labor at term, Ralph L. Barrett (by invitation)
Discussion—Samuel J. Scadron, Edwin W. Holladay, George L. Brodhead, Arthur Stein

III. PAPER OF THE EVENING

A statistical study of six years' work in the Maternity Service at the Knickerbocker Hospital (lantern slides), George L. Brodhead, R. H. Shradly (by invitation)

Discussion—Edwin W. Holladay, George L. Brodhead

SECTION OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY

Wednesday Evening, December 20, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

I. READING OF THE MINUTES

II. PRESENTATION OF CASES

- a. Osteomyelitis of the skull following acute sinus infection, with intracranial complications, Hampton P. Howell (by invitation), Howard A. Patterson
- b. Two cases of osteomyelitis of the skull following sinusitis and orbital cellulitis, C. C. Wolcott (by invitation)

III. PAPERS OF THE EVENING

- a. The regression theory of otosclerosis, Louis K. Guggenheim, St. Louis (by invitation)
Discussion opened by Arthur B. Duel, Edmund P. Fowler
- b. Osteomyelitis of the skull, A. C. Furstenburg, University of Michigan (by invitation)
Discussion opened by Ira Cohen, Robert E. Buckley, Rudolph Kramer, Harmon Smith

SECTION OF GENITO-URINARY SURGERY

Wednesday Evening, December 20, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

I. READING OF THE MINUTES

II. PAPERS OF THE EVENING

- a. Some of the neglected affections and lesions of the deep urethra in the male, Edgar G. Ballenger, Atlanta, Georgia (by invitation)
Discussion opened by Howard S. Jeck.

NEW YORK ROENTGEN SOCIETY

in affiliation with

THE NEW YORK ACADEMY OF MEDICINE

Monday Evening, December 18, at 8:00 o'clock

I. 8:00 to 8:30 p. m.

Demonstration and discussion of interesting cases

II. 8:30 p. m.

Clinical Meeting. Members demonstrated films of cases in which the diagnoses have been proved by operation, autopsy or therapeutic response.

NEW YORK MEETING OF THE

SOCIETY FOR EXPERIMENTAL BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE

under the auspices of

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Wednesday Evening, December 20, at 8:15 o'clock

- I. Experimental evidence of an additional substance essential to mammalian nutrition, L. N. Ellis; introduced by H. C. Sherman
- II. Clinical use of prolactin, R. Kurzrok, R. W. Bates, O. Riddle, E. G. Miller
- III. Effect of barbiturates in experimental nephrosis, W. S. Murphy, T. Koppanyi

- IV. Metabolism of various sulfur compounds in cystinuria, E. Brand, G. F. Cahill, M. M. Harris
- V. Reaction of transplantable and spontaneous tumors to blood-carried bacterial toxins in animals unsusceptible to Schwartzman phenomenon, F. Duran-Reynals, introduced by J. B. Murphy
- VI. A contribution to the etiology of encephalitis. Differentiation of encephalitis by protection test, L. T. Webster, G. L. Fite
- VII. Experimental poliomyelitis. Active immunization with neutralized mixtures of virus and serum, S. D. Kramer, M. Schaeffer, introduced by A. J. Goldforb
- VIII. On the motility of the colon of the dog, T. S. Raiford, M. G. Mulinos

NEW YORK PATHOLOGICAL SOCIETY

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Thursday Evening, December 28, at 8:30 o'clock

ORDER

- I. DEMONSTRATION OF PATHOLOGICAL SPECIMENS
- II. PAPERS OF THE EVENING
 - a. Blood groups and therapeutic malaria, Silik H. Polayes, Irving M. Derby (by invitation)
 - b. A case of non-lipoid histiocytosis, with necropsy, Nathan Chandler Foot, Charles M. Olcott
 - c. The histopathology of Paget's disease, Vera D. Dolgopoi
 - d. The pigmented mole as a tactile organ; its place in the evolution of hair follicles, George F. Laidlaw, Margaret R. Murray (by invitation)

RECENT ACCESSIONS TO THE LIBRARY

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N. Y., Knopf, 1933, 458 p.
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- Dietlen, H. Die Lungentuberkulose; eine Einführung in ihre Entstehung, ihre Entwicklung und ihre Verlaufsarten.
Dresden, Steinkopff, 1934 [1933], 142 p.
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Boston, Badger, [1933], 434 p.

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Phil., Lea, 1933, 272 p.
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Phil., Lippincott, [1933], 283 p.
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St. Louis, Mosby, 1933, 292 p.
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Edin., Livingstone, 1933, 382 p.
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Toronto, Macmillan, 1933, 246 p.
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Phil., Lippincott, [1933], 448 p.
- Stuhr, E. T. Manual of Pacific coast drug plants.
[Lancaster, Pa., Science Press], 1933, 189 p.
- Sutherland, H. G. The arches of the years.
N. Y., Morrow, 1933, 293 p.
- Topley, W. W. C. An outline of immunity.
London, Arnold, 1933, 415 p.
- United States. Department of Commerce. Bureau of the census. Manual
of joint causes of death. 3. ed.
Wash., U. S. Gov. Pr. Off., 1933, 255 p.
- Weihofen, H. Insanity as a defense in criminal law.
N. Y., Commonwealth Fund, 1933, 524 p.
- Wilkinson, W. C. Tuberculin, its vindication by technique.
London, Churchill, 1933, 93 p.

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His work has been of such signal importance in the development of American medicine, that the Academy is proud to have had among its members a man who has left behind him the reputation of having been not only a great physician, a distinguished pediatricist, an original investigator, but one who may truly be called a benefactor of mankind.

During his brief career he has earned the gratitude of the medical world, both here and abroad. As President of the Harvey Society, his leadership was characterized by an unusual devotion to, and respect for, pure and exact science. The resolutions passed by the Harvey Society include so fine a summary of his achievements, that the

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